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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUATION APPLICATION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)**

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Sir:

This is a Request for filing a continuation application under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) of prior Application Serial No. 10/229,710 filed on 10/09/2002, entitled PEST CONTROL SYSTEM INCLUDING COMPARTMENTS HAVING AREAS FOR RECEIVING PEST CONTROL MATERIALS OF DIFFERING PHYSICAL CONSISTENCIES, which is a continuation application of Serial No. 09/695,771 filed 10/25/2000 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,497,070 issued 12/24/2002) entitled PEST CONTROL SYSTEM INCLUDING COMPARTMENTS HAVING AREAS FOR RECEIVING PEST CONTROL MATERIALS OF DIFFERING PHYSICAL CONSISTENCIES, which is a continuation application of Serial No. 09/146,210 filed 09/02/1998 (now U.S. Patent No. 6,164,010 issued 12/16/00) entitled PEST CONTROL SYSTEM INCLUDING COMPARTMENTS HAVING AREAS FOR RECEIVING PEST CONTROL MATERIALS OF DIFFERING PHYSICAL CONSISTENCIES.

by the following named inventor(s): Eric J. Snell, Bruce C. Yeagle, Sr.

Enclosed is a copy of the prior application as originally filed. I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the prior Application Serial No. 10/229,710 as originally filed on August 28, 2002.

The filing fee has been calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended above:

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Amend the specification by deleting the sentence at page 1 under the heading "Cross-Reference to Related Applications" beginning "This application..." and replacing it with the following sentence--This application is a continuation of Application Serial No. 10/229,710, filed 10/09/2002 which is a continuation of Serial No. 09/695,771 filed 10/25/2000, which is a continuation of Serial No. 09/146,210 filed 09/02/1998.--

The prior application is assigned of record to B&G Equipment Company as shown in the Office of Records at Reel 9837, Frame 0707.

The original power appears in the original papers in the prior application. A copy is enclosed.

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Inventors : Eric J. Snell  
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      : INCLUDING COMPARTMENTS  
      : HAVING AREAS RECEIVING  
      : PEST CONTROL MATERIALS  
      : OF DIFFERING PHYSICAL  
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Description of Contents: Request for Continuation Application, in duplicate, Application Data Sheet (2 pages), Specification (61 pages), including claims (6 pages) and abstract (1 page), drawings (26 sheets) and copy of executed Combined Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition from parent application.

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